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MEMORANDUM

TO: U - Mr. James E. Webb  
THROUGH: S/S  
FROM: P - Howland H. Sargeant  
SUBJECT: Draft Announcement of New Psychological Strategy Board

Just before leaving for London, Mr. Barrett asked me to see that the attached draft press release was put informally in the hands of Admiral Souers, complying with the request which Admiral Souers made to Mr. Barrett in recent conversations, and to put a copy in your hands.

You will see that the announcement is pegged to the announcement of the Director for the new NPSE and suggests that the existing interdepartmental group be known hereafter as "The Information Strategy Committee".

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**Attachments:**

1. Copy, letter to Admiral Souers from Mr. Sargeant, 4/12/51.
2. Draft announcement of new NPSE.

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